

The Gospel of John

Lesson 9

Bread of Life - 6:30-71

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53. The third Passover is mentioned in 6:4. Remember the second Passover was mentioned in 5:1. Considering the events between these two Passovers, what does this tell us about the Gospel of John?

Not meant to record a significant portions of Jesus Ministry.

54. What is the Work of God?

Believe in Him.

Review

14. How would you describe the writing style of the Apostle John?

- Eloquent.
- Profound.
- Concise.
- Repetitive.

Review

25. What are 4 evidences presented so far that Jesus is Deity in Chapter 1:1-18?

His Attributes

vs. 1.

Creator

vs. 3.

Witness: John the Baptist

vs. 6-8.

Witnesses: Apostles.

vs. 14.

Review

40. On what basis did Nicodemus recognize Jesus as a teacher from God?

- Signs worked.

Review

41. Now, what does the phrase to be “born of the Spirit” mean?

Experience a new spiritual life.

Review

42. There are two requirements to enter the Kingdom. For the first requirement, what does it mean to be “born of water”, Rom. 6:4?

To be baptized.

Review

43. What does “Son of Man be lifted up” refer to (12:32-34)?

Lifted up on a cross, His death.

Review

44. Some believe that John 3:16 shows that baptism is not required for salvation since it is not mentioned. How do you respond with this statement?

1). Hearing the gospel not mentioned. Required?

2). Baptism (born of water) is required to enter Kingdom of God (vs. 5)

Review

44. Some believe that John 3:16 shows that baptism is not required for salvation since it is not mentioned. How do you respond with this statement?

3). Example of Moses lifting up serpent shows that “believes” requires action.

4). Harmony of Scriptures (Mark 16:15-26, Acts 2:38, 22:16) requires that “believes” is a figure of speech known as synechode (a part is mentioned but whole is meant).

Review

44. Some believe that John 3:16 shows that baptism is not required for salvation since it is not mentioned. How do you respond with this statement?

5). Apostle John taught baptism was required for salvation i.e. remission of sins, Acts 2:38.

Review

45. What things does John the Baptist say about Jesus?

- 1) He must increase, I must decrease.
- 2) Comes from heaven.
- 3) Has all authority.
- 4) Speaks the Word's of God.
- 5) Provides eternal life.

Review

18. What is the connotation of using the word “Word” in vs. 1:1?

Not a single word but word is put for a message, a statement.

Review

24. What are the 3 parts of the message (“Word”)?

1. Word is Deity vs. 1, 14.

2. Word provides Spiritual Life vs. 4, 12.

3. Believing in the Word provides
Spiritual Life vs. 7, 12.

Q9.1 In vs. 30, they ask for a sign. Has enough signs been provided for them to believe? What signs have already been provided?

- Yes.
- Turning water into wine, healing Royal Official's son, feeding 5,000, walking on water, 10 miracles after the Sermon on the Mount.

Q9.2 What additional information does Jesus provide by referring to Moses and the manna?

God the Father was the source of manna and the source for Jesus.

Q9.3 What does “true bread” mean?

This new bread is “true” in that it provides eternal life.

Q9.4 Again, who are
the Jews in vs. 41?

Jewish leaders.

Q9.5 What attribute of the Word does vs. 46 refer to (see 1:1)?

With the Father, intimate relationship.

Q9.6 What does it mean in vs. 53 to “eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drinks His blood”?

Believe in Him.

40 "For this is the will of My Father, that everyone **who** beholds the Son and **believes in Him, may have eternal life;** and I Myself will raise him up on the last day."

54 "**He who eats My flesh and drinks My blood has eternal life,** and I will raise him up on the last day.

Believes In Him ==> Eternal Life (vs. 40)

**He who eats My flesh & drinks My blood ==> Eternal Life
(vs. 54)**

Believes In Him = eats My flesh & drinks My blood

35 Jesus said to them, "I am the bread of life; he who comes to Me shall not hunger, and he who believes in Me shall never thirst.

You *eat* (*Implied*) **the bread of life.**

He *who comes to Me* shall not hunger.

He *who believes in Me* shall never thirst.

Eat = who comes to Me = who believes in Me.

Q9.7 What do we believe in Him?

Jesus is Deity, provides spiritual life and believe in Him to access.

Q9.8 In vs. 57 God is referred to as “living Father”. What does this mean?

An attribute of the Father that He provides life thru His plan to send Jesus into the world to save man.

Q9.9 In vs. 51, it says Jesus is “living” bread. What does that mean?

He provides life forever.

Q9.10 In vs. 55, He refers to true bread and true drink. What does this mean?

It accomplished its mission to provide eternal life.

Q9.11 Many of his disciples began to grumble. Why are they grumbling?

Not willing to accept the message, vs. 63.

Q9.12 In vs. 63, is “Spirit” capitalized in your Bible?

Yes in NASB, NKJV. Lower case in ASV and KJV.

Q9.13 What type of logic is being set up here?

A comparison, an analogy.